MEMORANDUM

OFFICE OF THE

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

COUNTY OF PLACER

TO:

Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM:

Bill Santucci, Supervisor District 1, Robert M. Weygandt, Supervisor District

2, Jim Holmes, Supervisor District 3 and Ted Gaines, Supervisor District 4

DATE:

May 9, 2006

SUBJECT:

REVENUE SHARING - Approve appropriation of \$2,750 in Revenue Sharing monies to Placer Land Trust Conservator Award Dinner as

requested by Supervisor Santucci (\$250), Supervisor Weygandt (\$1,000),

Supervisor Holmes (\$1,000) and Supervisor Gaines (\$500).

ACTION REQUESTED

Approve appropriation of \$2,750 in Revenue Sharing monies to Placer Land Trust Conservator Award Dinner as requested by Supervisor Santucci (\$250), Supervisor Weygandt (\$1,000), Supervisor Holmes (\$1,000) and Supervisor Gaines (\$500).

BACKGROUND/COMMUNITY BENEFITS

The Board is being asked to approve Revenue Sharing funds for the Placer Land Trust Conservator Award Dinner. This event took place on April 15, 2006. It is an annual event that honors those who have contributed considerably to the conservation of land and natural resources available in Placer County. The evening of events included dinner, the awards ceremony and special acknowledgements. The proceeds from the benefit are targeted to assist Placer Land Trust's efforts to work with willing landowners and conservation partners to preserve natural and agricultural lands in Placer County for future generations. The Revenue Sharing funds designated towards this event will assist in the costs incurred for venue rental, food and transportation.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds are available in the Revenue Sharing budget.



Placer Land Trust

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Placer Land Trust is a private, nonprofit 501(c)(3) charitable organization incorporated in 1991. Federal Tax Identification Number: 68-0223143.

Placer Land Trust works with landowners and conservation partners to permanently preserve natural open spaces and agricultural lands in Placer County for future generations.

Placer County Board of Supervisors 175 Fulweiler Avenue Auburn, CA 95603

Dear Honorary Board of Supervisors,

Placer Land Trust is very pleased to honor Joanne Neft for over 20 years of public service and a long list of achievements.

As you know, Joanne will be retiring as the Director of the Placer County Agricultural Marketing Program this summer. Placer Land Trust is honoring Joanne with our annual *Placer Conservator Award*, for enriching the quality of life in Placer County through resource conservation.

April 14, 2006

I hope you can join us for the Placer Conservator Dinner & Ceremony, to be held Saturday, April 15th, 2006, 6-9pm at the Beard Ranch in Auburn.

I hope the Board of Supervisors will support Placer Land Trust through the Placer Conservator Event. Proceeds from the event will benefit Placer Land Trust, a private nonprofit corporation dedicated to working with willing landowners and conservation partners to permanently preserve natural and agricultural lands in Placer County for future generations.

Last year, we had 35 event sponsors and over 250 people attend the event honoring Fred Yeager, and we hope to match that total this year for Joanne Neft. Any County contributions will used to cover the expense of venue rental, food and transportation. We've been extremely pleased to have the support of the Placer County Board of Supervisors in the past, and we hope you will support Placer Land Trust once again. I look forward to hearing from you, and hope to see you soon.

Sincerely,

Jeff Darlington